

House Resolution No. 3225

Whereas, Nick McGavic of Chesterfield, Missouri, recently received top honors for excellence in competition during the 2008 International DECA Career Development Conference held in Atlanta, Georgia; and

Whereas, one of seventeen Missouri high school students to receive international recognition, Nick McGavic put forth a tremendous degree of effort while competing with thirteen thousand of the best and brightest high school marketing students from across the United States and Canada; and

Whereas, DECA's internationally recognized program of competitive events uses interviews, tests, role-plays, and written project reports to evaluate marketing, management, and entrepreneurship skills identified by the nation's marketing, management and entrepreneurship industry as essential for success in the global industry of today; and

Whereas, Missouri marketing and cooperative education's co-curricular philosophy closely integrates classroom instruction, DECA, and work-based experiences allowing students opportunities to apply classroom knowledge in realistic, problem-based settings; and

Whereas, an outstanding student at Parkway West High School in Ballwin where he has been named Third place winner at DECA State CDC 2008 competition, Nick McGavic received Third place in the Food Services Marketing Series event; and

Whereas, Nick McGavic holds local, state, and international DECA membership and takes pride in the enviable list of achievements he has acquired at Parkway West High School as a member of Longhorn Lacrosse Club, and Longhorn Football; and

Whereas, Nick McGavic has achieved his every ambition with the love, support, and encouragement he has continually received from his proud and loving parents Steven and Carlyn McGavic, and his siblings, Matt and Mark McGavic:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join together with the staff and student body at Parkway West High School in extending our most hearty congratulations to Nick McGavic at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing him only the very best of success in all his future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Nick McGavic, as he is honored at the Missouri Governor's Mansion in Jefferson City on May 23, 2008.

Offered by _____
Representative Jane Cunningham
District No. 86

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 3225, adopted May 22, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker